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FUELS**HONORABLE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS**
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment (Paper No. 16) dated February 27, 2003.

REMARKS

The Examiner states that applicants' amendment submitted on January 22, 2003, is considered non-compliant because it contained replacement pages of the specification, which are not entered by the U. S. Patent Office. Accordingly, applicants submit herewith a corrected response to the October 22, 2002, Office Action with appropriate paragraph amendments to the specification.